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MAKES SLIGHT GAIN

Obtain a Foothold on the Small Hill of Houcourt, Northwest of Verdun

HELD OTHER PLACES BY FRENCH FIRE BARRIER Wind Caused Five Doaths and Prop

Around Douaumont and Viaux an Intense Artillery Bombardment is in Progress-The French are Heavily Shelling Malancourt Woods, Which is in the Hands of the Germans-Russian Offensive Against the Germans in Northwest Russia Has Increased in Intensity and Fighting is in Progress Day and Night—Muscovites Have Captured
Three Lines of German Trenches on the Southwestern
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Three Lines of German Trenches on the Southwestern Shore of Lake Narocz.

Infantry attacks northwest of Verdun, preceded by a vigorous bombardment, have enabled the Germans to gain a foothold on the small hill of Haucourt which lies just outside the Village of Malancourt and between that town and the eastern edge of the Malancourt woods.

The entire sector of about two and a half miles from the Avocourt wood to Malancourt has been subjected to a violent artillery bombardment and several German infantry attacks, but except in the immediate vicinity of Malancourt. Prench barrier fire and were unable to advance.

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From the west, in the forest of the Argonne, the French are heavily shelling the Malancourt woods, which is in the hands of the Germans, and at various points in the forest have bombarded German organizations, especially at Four de Paris, La Fille Mort and

barded German organizations, especializations are appeared in a Four de Paris, La Fille Mort and Montfaucon

The Russian offensive against the Germans in northwest Russia has increased in intensity and fighting at in progress day and night. The latest official statement from Russian general headquarters says that desperate in-

Telegraph Wires to Torreon and Du-

rango Have Been Cut.

SPECIAL GRAND JURY TO BE

To Investigate Break for Liberty Made

by Prisoners.

Providence, R. I., March 22.—A special grand jury will be empanelled Monday to investigate the circum-

Deputy Sheriff G. Ralph Tillinghast

RETARDING HIGHWAY WORK

WEATHER CONDITIONS IS

MOST BEAUTIFUL GIRL

nual tree pageant,

Is Miss Prisollia Barrows of Hartford

Selected by Class Vote.

Movements of Steamships.

TO PUSH CAMPAIGN

CONGESTION IN NEW ENGLAND AGAINST YAQUI INDIANS Sixteen Transportation Inspectors to

Visit All Points.

Washington, March 22.—The state department issued the following portation inspectors, including two statement regarding condition in Mexico late today:

New York, March 22.—Sixteen transportation inspectors, including two is 70, 2 though there are but 576 cadets at present. Under the terms of the new bill the authorized attendance would be 1332.

The senate refused to accept an are not provided in the control of the control of the new bill the authorized attendance would be 1332. representing the Interstate Commerce Commission, were sent out from this "The department is I nreceipt of telegraphic advices from Queretaro to the effect that the foreign office states the necessary order has been issued to push with vigor the campaign against the Indians in the Yaqui valley. A telegram dated March 11 from Laredo states that conditions are quiet at that place.

"Advices dated March 21 from Piedras Negras state that telegraphic conference which is composed of the conference that the maximum age for admission to the conference which where relight can be maximum age for admission to the conference of the maximum age for admission to the conference which is composed of the conference which is conference to the city tonight to visit all points in New The department is I nreceipt of

Piedras Negras state that telegraphic wires to Torreon and Durango have been cut, presumably by bandits. The situation at Piedras Negras is unchanged. Trains are arriving daily. The strike there in the shops is still on, but it is expected that it will be immediately settled.

"Guaymas and violative as the eastern freight accumulation conference which is composed of the executives of eastern railroads acting with Interstate Commerce Commissioner Clark. It was announced that eight additional men would be added to the staff for work in other sections. After New England has been inspected attention will be turned to the termination. immediately settled.

"Guaymas and vicinity are reported quiet as is also Topolobampo."

attention will be turned to the territory covered by the Pennsylvania, Delaware and Hudson and Friedmann and aware and Hudson and Erie railroads.
They will make daily reports to a subcommittee, headed by M. B. Casey of
the Lackawanna railroad. One of
their duties will be to give practical
suggestions to shippers. EMPANNELLED AT PROVIDENCE

DOMESTIC MERCHANDISE

EXPORTED FROM NEW YORK For the Month of January Aggregated \$171,045,210.

stances attending the break for liberty yesterday by a van load of prisoners who were being transported from the New York, March 22.-Exports of New York, March 22.—Exports of domestic merchandise from the port of New York for the month of January, 1918, aggregated \$11,045,210, in value as compared with \$100,341.418 for the same period in 1915, according to figures compiled at the custom house and made public tonight. Great Britain with \$57,869,466 and France with \$31,419,705 were the heaviest buyers. Exports to Germany for the month were valued at only \$43,394 as compared with \$2,307,699 for the same month last year. Providence county courthouse to the state prison in Cranston. Attorney General Herbert A. Rice said tonight that a rigid investigation will be made with the idea of fixing the who was shot by the escaping pris-oners, is at the Rhode Island Hospi-tal and tonight it was stated his con-

month last year.

The imports arriving at New York in January, 1918, were valued at \$99,-988,117 as compared with \$71,107,494 in that month of the preceding year. Of this amount \$14,521,836 came from Empland nearly twices 250 Men Kept Busy Keeping Culverts England, nearly twice as much as in the same period of 1915. Imperts from Generally in that month this same valued at \$622,410 as against \$10,070,016 in 1915. Hartford, Conn., March 22.—The ondition of the weather has serious y retarded the work of the starts is have department. It is a month

FEAR FOR LIFE OF

STONINGTON FISHERMAN Manuel Madera Believed to Have Been Drowned Off Block Island.

ly retarded the work of the state highway department. It is a month behind and if the weather does not improve it will necessitate the crowding of a great deal of work into the short season for outdoor work. Last year at this time many improvements had been made on the highways and they had become sufficiently dry for the application of oil. The department is keeping about 250 men employed all over the state keeping culverts clear of snow and ica. Stonington, Conn., March 22.—Manuel Madera, a local fisherman, is believed to have lost his life today by drowning during a blinding snow storm off Block Island. He had gone out in his small boat to set trawls. When he did not return, two fisherman friends started a search and hours later they located his overturned boat Madera was about 50 years old. He was married and had six children.

Another local fisherman, Grover Eldredge, was lost for a time in the storm, far out from shore, but he was found after a search of several hours. AT WELLESLEY COLLEGE

Wellestey, Mass., March 22.—The se-lection of Miss Priscilla Barrows of Hartford, Conn., as the most beautiful girl in the senior class at Wellesiey college was announced tonight. The distinction was determined by class vote. It carries with it appointment as mistress of ceremonies at the an-mail tree pageont. Oshkosh Normal School Burned. Oshkosh Normal School Burned.
Oshkosh, Wis., March 12.—The main building of the Oshkosh Normal school was destroyed by fire today with a loss of \$169,000. Prof. H. F. Fling suffered a dislemated shoulder in jumping from a second story window. He had entered the building to save valuable books. ordeaux March 20.—Sailed: Steam-ochambeau, New York. k York, March 20.— Sailed: mer Fatria, Marseilles.

Jabled Paragraphs

British Greet Italian General. Lendon, March 22.—General Count Cadorna, chief of the Italian general staff, who left Italy to attend the military and political conference of the entente nations at Paris, arrived in London today from the French capi-

Australian Cruiser at Havana. Havana, Cubs, March 22.—The Australian cruiser Sydney arrived here today, supposedly for the purpose of obtaining coal and provisions. She will sail within the prescribed 24 hours. Whence she came or whither the isology is unknown. she is going is unknown.

REPORTS FROM CYCLONE

IN NORTHERN INDIANA. erty Damage of \$1,000,000.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 22 .- As beated reports from last night's tornado northern Indiana filtered through the tangled wires, the death toll con-tinued to increase. Reports of five deaths from the storm, which swept almost directly eastward across the state, leveling scores of buildings in its path, had been received here to-night. Many others were seriously infured and more deaths are probable. Loss is estimated at more than \$1,000,-

The dead are: Clarence Wilson, 21

burned to death after his house col-lapsed.

It is estimated that hundreds of persons, including a score or more who were passengers on a Clover Leaf pas-senger train which was blown from

Bill Passed in Senate With Only Two Dissenting Votes.

Washington, March 22.-The national defense program was advanced another stage today when the senate passed Senator Chamberlain's bill to double the number of cadets at the West

the number of cadets at the West Point military academy.
Only two senators, Vardaman and Norris, voted against the bill, 59 voting in its favor. If the measure passes the house it will open the way to West. Point to the enlisted man, both of the army and of the national guard. As finally amended it provides for the appointment of not more than 200 enlisted men by the president, two cadets by each congressman, two from each by each congressman, two from each territory, four from the District of Columbia, two from each state at large and sixty from the United States at large. and sixty from the United States at large. The authorized attendance at large. The authorized attendance at

amendment by Senator Hughes of Ne

present need might be utilized as aux-

FIRST REPORT FROM PERSHING IN 60 HOURS

Villa and Carranza Troops Clashed on Monday-One Aviator Missing.

eral Funston today received from General Pershing the first report from the front in sixty hours. It came from Casas Grandes and the only reference made to the operations of Villa was that Villa and Carranza troops clash-

mercial Wires at El Paso.

El Paso, Tex., March 22.-Brigadier El Paso, Tex., march 12.—Brigadier General Bell tonight extended the cen-sorship to news despatches sent over commercial wires out of El Paso, which he said were of an "incendiary charac-

General Bell said he did not intend to have information of "preparations he was making" given out in advance of their execution. The general added he was investigating reports that the Carranza gartison at Juarez, across the river from El Paso, had deserted to the

ASKS CONDEMNATION

OF GERMAN STEAMSHIPS Cases of Hamburg-American Liners In British Prize Courts.

London, March 22, 5:06 p. m. cases of the Hamburg-American liners Prinz Adalbert and Kronprinzessin Prinz Adalbert and Kronprinzessin Cecilie, which were seized at Palmouth at the outbreak of the war, came before th prize court today. The crown asked for condemnation of both vessels. The attorney general, would proceed on substantially the would proceed on substantially the

Anxiety Gaused \$2,000,000 Fire by Mexican News at Augnsta, Ga.

OVER REPORT THAT HERRERA'S TEN TROOPS HAVE JOINED VILLA'S

in Carranza Army Would

Washington, March 22.—Grave apprehension regarding the outcome of the American expedition into Mexico in pursuit of Villa was evident for the first time in Washington tonight after receipt by the war department of a despatch from General Funston saying a report had reached him that 2,000 Carranza troops at Chihuahua under General Luis Herrera had revolted and aligned themselves with the bandit chief.

Augusta, Ga., March 22. — First caused damage estimated at more than 33,000,000 in the downtown section of Augusta tonight and at a late hour was enting its way unchecked down pal business houses are located. Ten blocks had been destroyed or were burning and the flames were threatening to spread to residential sections.

Flames Carried by Wind,

Information from Function. General Funston did not disclose the ource of his information and so far as could be learned no confirmation had reached the state department or the Mexican embassy. Fear that the report might be true was not disguised in official circles, however, and to-night's developments were awaited with tense anxiety.

Fear Others May Revolt. If Herrora and his troops have joined Villa, some officials believe other Carranza commanders and soldiers may quickly follow their example. In such an event, the United States and de facto government of Mexico would find themselves confronted with a situation so serious that its possibilities hardly could be estimated. A large part of could be estimated. A large part of the forces of the de facto government in northern Mexico formerly were Villa soldiers and with their officers have followed the bandit chieftain to many hard fought victories

Herrera's Troops Well Equipped. The troops under Herrera are described here as being probably the best equipped in northern Mexico and they are said to be well supplied with ammunition. Herrera at one time was one of Villa's most active aides, as was his brother, who now is believed to be operating in the state of Coahulia with a considerable force. Rumors concern-ing the doubtful intentions of the Arrita brothers, leading a force in Duran go, also have tended to increase dis quiet here.

Reinforcements Would Be Rushed. Rebellion in Carranza's army would expeditionary force so perilous that every available soldier would be rushed in to reinforce the advancing columns. For this purpose not more than about 15,000 men would be available without calling out the national guard. There are now on the border in Mexico about 25,000 soldiers, and in the whole of the continental United States the other mobile forces number only a little more than 5,000.

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Conference of President and Secretary Baker.

All reports from the border were sent to the White House tonight and were the subject of a long conference between President Wilson and Secre-tary Baker. Afterwards Mr. Baker declined to talk.

MAX BREITUNG ADMITS HE ADVANCED MONEY TO FAY. Ignorance of its Use and Asks LIGHTED BALL OF YARN for Separate Trial.

New York, March 22.—In an affidavit submitted today to the United States district court here in support of a mo-tion to be tried separately from Robert Fay and others charged with a con-spiracy to blow up ships carrying mu-nitions of war from this country to the entente allies, Max Breitung admiteed having advanced money for the purchase of cholorate of potassium for Fay, but denied any knowledge of the nase Fay expected to make of it further than that it was to be shipped to Sweden and thence to Germany He ed Mondey near Namaquipa.

Major Sample, reporting from Columbus, N. M., sald that Aviator Willis is safe and that Aviator Gorrell is the only fiver now missing. Gorrell was last sighted over Colonia Juarez, southeast of Casas Grandes.

Also tolk be latter's alleged accomplices and of a motorboat trip which, the authorities assert, had to do with the carrying out of the conspiracy with least sighted over Colonia Juarez, southeast of Casas Grandes.

The affidavit, which Breitung's law-var explained, was for the purpose of the construction of the conspiration of

General Pershing reported an aeroplane in communication with the Seventh cavairy sixty miles southeast of Casas Grandes. Two other advance cavairy columns are known to be pushing south. No report of fighting between Americans and Villa forces has been received.

General Pershing reported an aeroplane in communication with the "laying his cards on the table of "laying his cards on the table of "laying his cards on the table of the six of casas Grandes. Two other advance and right to a separate trial," disclosed that Breitung came here from Germany in September, 1911, worked for a time for his uncle, Albert Breitung, in Chicago, and later removed to New York, where on Aug. 1, 1914, he was made manager of the office of Breitung & Co., Ltd. This position, he said, was given to him by his cousin, Edward N. Breitung, who was the owner of the Breitung, who was selzed and Breitung, who was the owner of the steamship Dacre, which was seized and confiscated by the French government and later sunk in the Mediterranean by a German submarine.

Assistant United States Attorney John C. Knox argued against the granting of a separate trial and Judge Julius M. Mayer reserved his decision

LIGHTSHIP AT MOUTH OF THAMES TORPEDOED Only a Mast Remains Above the Sur

face of the Sea. London, March 22, 11.55 p. m .- The Galloper lightship at the mouth of the Thames has been torpedoed and sunk, according to a Lloyds report. The Dutch steamer Ametelland, from Buenos Aires for Amsterdam, reports, according to a Reuter despatch from Ymuiden, that she set her course for the Galloper lightship, but found on the course for the

the spot only a mast above the sur-face of the sea. U. S. CAVALRY TROOPER WITH BULLET IN HEAD

Found in Box Car at Rodeo, N. M. Probably Attempted Suicide.

would proceed on substatially the same lines.

Prairie Fire Under Control.

Tulsa, Okia, March 22.—A prairie fire which burned over four sections of land in the heart of the Cushing oil field last night and this morning was under control this afternoon. The property loss was estimated tonight at \$200,000.

Douglas, Ariz, March 22.—The United States cavalry trooper who was found early today in a box car at Rodeo, N. M., with a bullet wound in his head, was brought to the hospital here. He was identified as Robert Kettle of St. Louis. Officers expressed the opinion today that Kettle attempt-property loss was estimated tonight at \$200,000.

BLOCKS OF BUSINESS HOUSES DESTROYED

IS COMPLEX SITUATION WIND FANNED FIRE

Help for Fire Department Was Rushed on Special Trains From Atlanta Macon and Savannah-Burned Itself

Shortly before midnight the flame were carried by the wind into the res were carried by the wind into the res-idential section, where a new confla-gration soon was making rapid head-way. The outbrenk was a distance of four blocks from the blaze in the busineas section.

After midnight the fire apparently was burning itself out.

Warehouses Were Endangered. Warehouses Were Endangered.

There apparently was little hope of saving "Cotton Row," a string of warehouses where \$5,000,000 worth of cotton was stored. The cotton exchange and the board of trade building also were directly in the path of the flames and among the structures already destroyed or badly damaged were two office buildings, the Masonic Temple, four banks, two telegraph company buildings and the buildings of two daily newspapers.

daily newspapers.

The fire started in the Dyer office building from a cause not determined and a high wind frustrated efforts to check it. The Dyer building, a five-story \$159,000 structure, was a total loss. Help for the local fire depart-ment was rushed here by special trains from Atlanta, Mucon and Savannah.

PANIC IN FACTORY FIRE AT BRIDGEPORT.

Ten Persons Jumped from Third Story Window to Shed.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 22.—Panic resulting from a small fire in the Ham-lton Braes company's building, Middle liton Brass company's building, Middle and Golden Hill streets, at noon today, caused ten persons to jump from a third story window to a shed below. Michael Cobally, aged 30, who gave his address as 150 Thompson street, sustained a fracture of the right ankle. He is in St. Vincent's hospital. Herbert Tier, 760 Broad street, whose clothing was ablaze, was rescued by fellow workers without apparent injury.

undoubtedly saved by the assurances of firemen in the street below which barely prevented others jumping the full distance of three stories. The fire started in a japaning oven. In response to the alarm, engine No. 4. a newly equipped tractor, failed to

track down a steep hill and upset. Norman Wheeler, driver, strapped to the seat, was rescued from the debris of a tree that had been struck and splintered by the engine, without seri-

STARTED \$1,500,000 FIRE And Made at Least 3,000 Persons Homeless at Nashville, Tenn.

a conflagration in Nashville at noon prisons. today which was not under control un-til late this afternoon, after 35 resi-dence blocks had been swept by the fire. The loss is estimated at \$1,500,-

leaped from building mill and least 600 residences had been destroyed, the East Nashville sub-post-office burned down, the big Warner public school and several churches reduced to ruins.

Tonight it is continued to make the continued to ruins. A 50-mile wind fanned the burning killed himself. Tonight it is estimated that at least

3,000 persons are homeless.

National guardsmen called out by
Governor Rye went on duty in the fire
zone late today and will remain there for several days to aid in relief work TROLLEY CAR HELD UP

GRAFT IN NEW YORK DEPARTMENT OF LICENSES. Seven Inspectors and Two Clerks Are

Accused-Hired Pickpockets.

New York, March 22.-Seven in-

for licenses were made to pay tribute in addition to the regular fee for the granting of the licenses. "In one case," the report says, "the guilty employe admitted in his testimony taken in this investigation the truth of the accusations against him

addition confessed to

grafting." A copy of the report has been sent to the commissioner of the department and the district attorney for such pro-

Condensed Telegrams

The battleship Kentucky arrived at

Bulgaria is further strengthening its The scheoner C. D. Pickings, owned at Annapolis, was destroyed by fire off the Cuban coast.

Contracts for 4,000 freight cars were

let to various concerns by the South-ern Pacific Rallroad. John Akien of Hartford convicted assault and robbery, was sentenced from two to seven years.

Kaiser Wilhelm's villa on the Greek Corfu Island, seized by the French, has been converted into a hospital. Premier Asquith, who has been ill was so far recovered that he was able to preside at the War Council

Portugal will summon its reservists,

A government warrant has been is-sued against Lean Gim, a Chinese restaurant proprietor of Bridgeport. To put an end to smuggling, Hon duras has decided to establish a free port in the Department of Mosquita.

D. C. Herrick, former postmaster and well-known republican leader of Bing-namton, N. Y., died at his home there. The new \$200,000 naval radio station under construction near San Diego, Cal, will be the most powerful in the

The New Haven Railroad has awarded an increase of one cent an hour to

Thomas A. Edison left New York for his piantation at Fort Myers, Fla., for the first vacation he has had in

The Atlas Nitrate Products Co. gun cotton plant at Mt. Carbon, Pa., has been closed because of the freight em-

The advance sale of tickets for the Willard-Moran fight in New York this Saturday night has already reached

The Union Compress Co. plant and 2,200 bales of cotton at Augusta, Ga., were destroyed by fire at a loss of \$100,000. Lieu. Bowen, pilot with the American expeditionary force in Mexico, was slightly inujred when his aeropiane fell 50 feet.

Dr. Carlos Husk of Aurora, Ill., died at Laredo, Texas, of typhus, con-tracted in Mexico, where he had gone

The wrecking steamer Resous left Norfolk to assist the Mallory liner Alamo, reported off Point Lockout with a disabled rudder.

The cruiser North Carolina, with four hydro-aeroplanes aboard, was oredered from Penascola, Fia., to the naval base at Guantanamo Having announced his inability to

York Curb Market Association. The Big Four Reilroad has asked the authority to issue \$1,495,000 trust cer-

tificates to purchase equipment,

Walter Runciman, president of the British Board of Trade, will be a rep-resentative of England at the military and economic council in Harts this

Representative Kitchin of North Car-olina, House Majority Leader, an-nounced that he will oppose the Ad-ministration shipping bill as it now

Nashville, Tenn., March 22.—A ball of yarn, lighted and thrown by a boy into dry grass in a vacant lot, started a configuration in Nashville, started Carter as state superintendent of

Believed to have been temporarily in-sane, Daniel G. Patterson of Greens-boro, N. C., shot and killed his four children while they sdept, and then

in speinl session to onsider harges of misfeasane in office brought against Judge Jesse Edginton and Attorney-General Z. N. Estes, both of Memphis.

NEAR WATERBURY

Through Passengers' Pockets.

Waterbury, Conn., March 22.—Two masked men held up a trolley car bound for Woodbury from this city at 11 o'clock tonight, got \$12 from the conductor, Charles Reynolds. 30 cents from the motorman, Charles Adsms, two women and the conductor. The motor of the car. The manual amount of money from the motorman to have a conductor to have a conductor. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The car. The motor of the car. The New York, March 22.—Seven inspectors and two clerks in the department of licenses were accused today of participating in a system of graft in a report made to Mayor Mitchel by Commissioner of Accounts Wallstein.

Seget will be hired by persons in the department to rob applicants for licenses as they stood in line at the window. The disclosures in this instance are said to have come about through a detective posing as a pick—

conductor, Charles Reynolds, 30 cents from the motorman, Charles Reynolds, 30 cents from the motorman charles from the motorman to reverse the car and the conductor. The motorman to reverse the car and head censes as they stood in line at the window. The disclosures in this instance are said to have come about through a detective posing as a pick-pocket and entering into an agreement by which he was to divide what as stole with the insiders. He is said to have given them money he represented as having been stolen and to have seen it divided among those in the plot.

Other accusations are that applicants for licenses were made to pay tribute

STOLE TO PROVIDE

LUXURIES FOR BRIDE Frank Dungleman, Janitor of Adams

express office a week ago.

President to Consult Coulist.

Washington, March 22.—President Wilson plans to go to Philadelphia tomorrow to consult an oculist. He will leave here early in the morning and probably return during the afternoon or night.

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Carranza Troops

MEN IN GARRISON AT 2,000 CHIHUAHUA

OTHERS MAY FOLLOW

Military Authorities Connect Al leged Revolts With the Interruption to Wire Service Tuesday-No Amer loan Troops Have Been Wounded.

San Antonio, Texas, March 22.—Even althought unconfirmed, the report to-day that, General Luis Herrera, commanding two thousand men at Chinuahua had aligned binself with Francis. hua had aligned himself with Francisco Villa against the United States was
received with grave concern by General Function and his staff. The long
intervals between General Pershing's
reports already had keyed up the tension a bit, although General Function
and his chief staff continued to profeas the belief that all was well with
the troops below Canas Grandes, mut
the report from Chihuahua made insignificant any anxiety they might
have felt concerning Pershing's operations. ations.

Situation More Complex. Officially and unofficially the opinion (Continued on Page Seven)

DRAFT OF PROTOCOL

HAS BEEN AGREED UPON Has Been Forwarded to Carranza For His Approval.

Washington, March 22.-A draft of the protocol asked for by General Carranza to govern the operations of the ranza to govern the operations of the American expedition in Mexico seeking Villa was agreed upon late today by Acting Secretary Polk and Silseo Arredondo, Mexican ambassador designate. It was forwarded at once to Carranza for approval and is expected to be in effect within a few days. Details of the proposed convention will be withheld until it is signed. It is known, however, that it is designated to minimize the possibility of misunderstanding between the two governments by setting forth the rights of each in the extraordinary circumstness existing and prescribing as far as posexisting as far as posexisting and prescribing as far as posexisting as far as existing and prescribing as far as pos-sible the methods of cooperation to be employed by the Mexican and Ameri-can troops in the pursuit of the out-

laws.

Although the de facto government sought the protocol, its terms are entirely in accord with the views of the United States and no difficulty was experienced by Mr. Polk and Mr. Arredondo in preparing it.

The United States government realizes fully the difficult position of Carranza, who, with many foes in his own country, faces the task of suppressing the alarm spread among the Mexican people by the presence of a foreign army on their soil. Consequently, the protocol has been duafted with a view protocol has been duafted with a view to strengthening the hand of the de facto government at home, as well as to preventing disagreements between the two governme/s or their military officers in the field.

RUMOR OF REVOLT OF CARRANZA TROOPS Garrison of Chihuahua Espouse the Cause of Villa.

San Antonio Texas, March 22.- Gen Herrera, commander at Chihuahua, is reported to have revolted against the Carranza government, declaring him-self at war against the United States and promising his support to Villa, ac-cording to information received here from a source regarded as reliable. from a source regarded as reliable.

The strength in the city of Chihuahua was placed at 2,000 men. He had been relieved of command by Carranna yesterday, according to information here, his revolt accurring after he had been relieved.

NEW HAVEN ROAD

EXTENDS FREIGHT EMBARGO Was to Have Ended at Midnight-Continued Till Sunday Night

New Haven. Conn., March 22.—The New York, New Haven and Hariford Railroad company today announced that the freight embargo effective at midnight March 18, and which was to have ended at midnight, March 22, has been extended to Sunday night next. The embargo was placed "upon all freight originating at stations on the New York, New Haven and Hariford railroad or the Central New England railway, and connecting lines, consigned to Harlem river or via Piers Nos. 31, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42 and 70, East River, New York, North First street, Brooklyn, and all other Brooklyn terminals; or when consigned to coast-

Yuan Shi Kai Rejects Emperorship

and Resumes Presidency. Peking, March 22.—A state department mandate issued tonight an-counces the abandonment of the resumption of the republic.

The mandate says the revolution shows that the demand for a monarchial for mof government is not unanimous and that therefore Yuan Shi Kai rejects the emperorship and

resumes the presidency.

The imperial documents, the mandate adds, will be returned by Yuan Shi Kai to the state council, which Express Building at Bridgeport.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 21.—Frank
Dungleman, employed as janitor in the
Adams Express building here, was arrested today for theft of \$100 from the
express office a week ago.